# IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

DYSON, INC.,	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
v.	)	06 654 CMS
MAYTAG CORPORATION,	) C.A. No.	06-654-GMS
Defendant.	)	
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### MOTION FOR A PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION

Plaintiff Dyson, Inc. ("Dyson") hereby moves for a preliminary injunction enjoining Defendants Maytag Corporation, Hoover, Inc. and The Hoover Co. I LP, (collectively, "Defendants") their officers, agents, servants, employees and attorneys, and all persons in active concert or participation with them who receive actual notice of this Order, from making false claims that the Hoover Fusion™ and/or Maytag Legacy™ provide "No Loss of Suction," requiring Maytag to sticker or otherwise remove false claims before making its remaining shipments of the products at issue, and requiring Maytag to take commercially-reasonable steps to remove false claims from inventory and displays currently in the retail channel and from retail websites. As set forth in detail in Dyson's moving papers, Maytag's conduct − if not preliminarily enjoined − will cause irreparable harm to Dyson, as Dyson sells products that compete directly with the upright vacuum cleaners at issue. All of the bases of this motion are set forth in Dyson's

Opening Brief in support of its motion and supporting papers, filed herewith. A proposed Order setting forth the relief requested by Dyson is attached hereto for the Court's convenience.

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Dated: April 18, 2007

#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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#### [PROPOSED] ORDER

WHEREAS, plaintiff Dyson, Inc. ("Dyson") has moved for a preliminary injunction, enjoining defendant Maytag Corporation ("Maytag") from dissemination of false and misleading advertisements, and

WHEREAS, the Court has considered the parties' submissions,

#### IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. Dyson's motion for a preliminary injunction is GRANTED.
- 2. Pending final judgment in this action, Defendants Maytag Corporation, Hoover, Inc. and The Hoover Co. I LP, (collectively, "Defendants") their officers, agents, servants, employees and attorneys, and all persons in active concert or participation with them who receive actual notice of this Order, are enjoined from stating or communicating, directly or indirectly, by words or visual images, in any advertising, packaging, promotional materials or promotional activities for the Hoover Fusion<sup>TM</sup> ("Fusion") or Maytag Legacy<sup>TM</sup> ("Legacy") upright residential vacuum cleaners that:
  - (1) The Fusion or Legacy provide "No Loss of Suction," or words of substantially similar meaning or import; and

- (2) The Fusion or Legacy have been shown by testing under the ASTM F558 standard to have constant suction, or no loss of suction up to 10 ounces of dirt or dust.
- 3. Defendants shall remove or cover by sticker the "No Loss of Suction" claims, or any words of substantially similar meaning or import, from any planned shipments to retailers of Fusion or Legacy vacuums after the date of this Order.
- 4. Within 20 days of entry of this Order, Defendants their officers, agents, servants, employees and attorneys, and all persons in active concert or participation with them who receive actual notice of this Order, shall:
  - (1) Remove or cover by sticker on all packaging for the Fusion and Legacy upright residential vacuum cleaners any words or visual images that state or otherwise communicate that the Fusion and Legacy upright residential vacuum cleaners have "No Loss of Suction;" and
  - (2) Remove all displays, including in-store displays, that state or otherwise communicate that the Fusion and Legacy upright residential vacuum cleaners have "No Loss of Suction."
- 5. Defendants shall take commercially reasonable steps to ensure that the "No Loss of Suction" claims for the Fusion and Legacy upright residential vacuum cleaners is removed from all retail and re-sale websites within 20 days of the date of this Order.

6. Within 45 days of entry of this Order, Defendants shall file with this Court and serve on counsel for Plaintiff a sworn written statement, setting forth in detail and including exhibits demonstrating the manner and form in which Defendant has complied with this Order.

### IT IS SO ORDERED

Dated:	, 2007	
	-	Gregory M. Sleet
		United States District Judge